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Applicant's Reply Brief filed 11/09/2007 is NOTED. No further action is deemed necessary by the examiner at the present time. Accordingly, the application is being forwarded to the Board of Appeals for decision on the appeal.

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